



وزارة الصحة

Ministry of Health

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Policy & Procedure (P&P)

Policy Title :

Platelet Agitator Maintenance

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01. Policy:

- 01.1. All laboratory work surfaces and equipment will be decontaminated with an appropriate germicide after spill of blood, when work activities are completed, and periodically to keep equipment clean. The operating temperature within incubators used for the storage of platelet products is monitored continuously using continuous temperature recorders which are verified by reading from calibrated thermometers.

02. Definition:

- 02.1. N/A

03. Purpose :

- 03.1. Cleaning and decontamination of platelet agitator is performed to keep incubator in good working order and maintain a safe clean working environment, and monitoring its temperature every 4 hours to ensure adequate temperature for platelet.

04. Procedure :

It is required by all the staff maintains all the platelet agitator clean, and properly handle and checking operating temperature:

- 04.1. Decontaminate the platelet agitator with an appropriate germicide after spill of blood, when work activities are completed, and periodically to keep it clean.
- 04.2. Record the platelet agitator temperature every 4 hours in the temperature record form which is hanged on its wall.
- 04.3. The rotations per minute (rpm) must be assessed every three months to ensure accurate and effective

agitation of platelets by the biomedical engineers in the hospital.

- 04.4. If agitator does not meet manufacturer's specifications for rotations per minute, contact the biomedical engineers in the hospital immediately so corrective action can be implemented.

06. RESPONSIBILITY

- 06.1. All Blood Bank Staff of Al-Qunfudah General Hospital.

07. EQUIPMENT AND FORMS::

- 07.1. Clorox preparation according to infection quality guide lines.
07.2. Paper towels.
07.3. Temperature record form
07.4. Blood Bank decontamination Log.

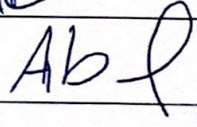
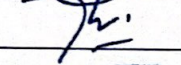
08. Attachment :

- 08.1. N/A

09. Reference

- 09.1. Clinic Clinical lab Management for clinical lab scientist.

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